## Amendment No. 2 to HB3936

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 3061\*

House Bill No. 3936

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 70, Chapter 1, Part 2, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated section:

Section 70-1-2\_\_.

(a) There is hereby created a seven-member Tennessee wildlife resources advisory committee to review and make recommendations to the general assembly on pending legislation that would affect the mission of the wildlife resources commission, and to improve communication between the general assembly and the commission.

(b)

- (1) Members of the wildlife resources advisory committee shall be appointed by the respective appointing authorities by October 1, 2010:
  - (A) Two (2) members, appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives;
  - (B) Two (2) members, appointed by the speaker of the senate; and
  - (C) Three (3) members of the Tennessee wildlife resources commission, to be appointed by the chairman of the wildlife resources commission.
- (2) Any vacancies on the committee shall be filled in the same manner as in the case of original appointments as provided in this section.

- (c) It is the responsibility of the advisory committee to organize and set forth its rules and operational procedures.
- (d) The advisory committee shall meet no later than ten (10) days following the second bill cutoff of each legislative session to review such legislation.
- (e) The advisory committee may hold up to two (2) additional meetings during the year to receive updates from the wildlife resources commission.
- (f) The advisory committee created pursuant to this section shall cease to exist on July 1, 2012.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 70-1-206, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

- () Pursuant to the authority granted in subdivision (a)(1), the commission shall have the authority to appoint and dismiss an executive director who meets the minimum standards established pursuant to §70-1-303(a); provided that no rule shall be promulgated that establishes any additional qualifications for executive director than those established pursuant to §70-1-303(a).
- SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, the public welfare requiring it.